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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Alfalfa is growing finely.
New goods received every week at the Racket and Novelty Store.

COW BOY CONDITION POWDER for horses at W. F. PINE'S (City Drug Store.)

A good pair of socks or a good crepe tie for 5 cents, at the Racket and Novelty Store.

Rev. D. E. Hoover will hold services in the M. E. Church, Sunday morning and evening.

Geo. W. Reighard is nominated for reelection to the school board in the outside district attached to Dodge City.

To determine the real value of money go to the Racket and Novelty Store and see what you can buy for a dollar.

The people of Ingalls have found the required number of cows and are bustling for a skimming station.—Cimarron Jacksonian.

Good yearling steers are bringing \$18 per head, and two-year-olds are selling at from \$20 to \$25 per head in Stanton county.

J. A. Bull and wife left Wednesday for Spearville, where Mr. Bull will make cheese the coming season.—Cimarron Jacksonian.

W. T. Coolidge has moved his office to the rear part of the Stum brick building, and the entrance is on the southeast corner of the building.

City Marshal Rhodes has set out a number of forest trees on Main street. Mr. Rhodes will take care of these trees on his own account.

Farmers report the wheat crop, especially that sown late, in fine condition, and prospects better than in the year of the big crop.—Grant County Republican.

Don't begin your spring work without getting your horses ready for work by feeding Cow Boy Condition Powder, prepared by W. F. PINE (The City Drug Store.)

G. G. Gilbert shipped Monday night to Colonel Cohen, Cohen station, Colorado, a thoroughbred Poland China boar, of his raising, weighing 600 pounds. He is a fine pig.

Rev. W. M. Howell conducts services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. at the Presbyterian Church next Sabbath. Morning subject, "The Sacrifice of the Lips." Evening subject, "Science and the Church."

Geo. S. Potter has dissolved partnership with J. F. O'Leary in the plumbing business, and has established for himself in the basement under J. D. Bush's barber shop. Mr. Potter is an experienced workman.

The Prairie Flower Sunday School in Concord township has been established with 25 members. James Bailey is superintendent, and J. B. Barrow assistant superintendent. An invitation is given to everybody to join.

The Forestry Station is now furnishing to the farmers of the Western part of the State about 10,000 trees daily, on an average. Some days 20,000 trees go out. Mr. Bartlett is in charge, and from present appearances is likely to remain.

Thos. C. Owen is the agent for the Monroe Book Company of Chicago, and is organizing a club, by which members can secure music and musical instruments at one half price of original cost. Mr. Owen has the right for Ford county. You can secure a membership at a low rate.

Chas. Beaman has found a plan for raising cabbage in the winter. Last fall he buried his headless cabbages in trenches and covered them with boards and dirt to keep them from freezing. This spring he finds the cabbages have grown fresh and solid with large heads, and weigh seven pounds each. The cabbage set in trenches were those that failed to mature in the fall.

The Dodge House is meeting with success, as it deserves. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd know how to keep hotel. On Sunday we dined at this house, and found the table equal to any hotel in the west. The Dodge House is making a specialty of Sunday dinners, and our citizens who want to avoid Sunday cooking will find the Dodge House just the place for a good dinner.

Fred Smith, an inmate of the Soldiers Home, died of Bright's disease, on Sunday morning, and was buried in the G. A. R. cemetery Monday afternoon. The members of Lewis Post and members of the Home attended the funeral, and paid their respects in the last sad rites of their deceased comrade. The deceased was about 60 years of age. He had been a resident of Ford county for several years. The deceased leaves a widow with whom he had been married but a short time.



DRS. CASHMAN & SAPERO, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat SPECIALISTS AND EXPERT OPTICIANS.

Will be in
DODGE CITY,
At the First Avenue Hotel, Office in Room 1,
Midland Bank Building.

April 15th, where they will remain until May 7th.
The Doctors come here well recommended. Many testimonials and the best of known references given on demand.

EXAMINATION FOR GLASSES FREE.

SOME SYMPTOMS OF DEFECTIVE EYES.

1. If you are unable to read fine print, to sew or do fine work any length of time, especially by artificial light, you need glasses.
2. If the eyes ache or water, or anything "swims" or becomes "dim" or looks "hazy" or blurred when using them a short time, and you have to look to see plainer, you need glasses.
3. If you have a smarting or burning sensation in and about the eyes, you need glasses.
4. If you find yourself looking sideways, or turning the head to one side, or laying it over towards the shoulder in order to see an object plainer, you need glasses.
5. If you squint the eyes to see more plainly, you need glasses.
6. If you see well at a distance and not close to you, or vice versa, you need glasses.
7. If you can't easily thread a needle, you need glasses.
8. If you become sleepy and have a tired feeling about the eyes after reading a short time, you need glasses.
9. If you have redness and inflammation of the eyes and lids frequently, there is a dull ache or sense of discomfort in or about the eyes, you need glasses.
10. If you have a frowning expression in and about the eyes, or squint or shrink upon going into the strong sunlight, or do not see as well as your friends, you need glasses.
11. If you have glasses and they are not perfectly easy and comfortable, they are not right and are an injury to your eyes.
12. If you need glasses you need them now, and the sooner you get them the better for your eyes. Every day's delay may be invaluable and may be one day nearer total blindness. Then how foolish to postpone getting glasses.

If your Glasses Require to be Ground to Order, Please Call Early.
DIFFICULT CASES AND SCHOOL CHILDREN SOLICITED.

W. L. DOUGLAS \$3.00 SHOE

The Style, Fit and Wear could not be improved for Double the Price.

W. L. Douglas \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Shoes are the productions of skilled workmen, from the best material possible to put into shoes sold at these prices. We make also \$2.50 and \$2.25 shoes for men, and \$2.50, \$2.00 and \$1.75 for boys, and the W. L. Douglas \$3.50 Police shoe, very suitable for letter-carriers, policemen and others having much walking to do.

We are constantly adding new styles to our already large variety, and there is no reason why you cannot be suited, so insist on having W. L. Douglas Shoes from your dealer.

We use only the best Calf, Russia Calf (all colors), French Patent Calf, French Enamel, Vici Kid, etc., graded to correspond with price of the shoes.

If dealer cannot supply you, write W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass. CATALOGUE FREE.

C. O. WARING.

A splendidly equipped special passed through Saturday on the Santa Fe, carrying 300 excursionists on their return from San Francisco and other western points. They were members of the United States Association of Railway Mail Clerks who have been upon a visit west. The party will disband at Chicago, the destination of the special train. A brother of John S. Rush, of Dodge City, was a member of the party.

The Board of Directors of the Soldiers Home have been interviewed by a Topeka Journal reporter, and some sensational statements are made. The Board will meet here next Monday, and will begin an examination of the accounts and records of the Home. It is said that the management do not desire to summarily remove officers, but if any irregularities are found the positions will be filled by new men.

Mike Sutton of Dodge City and Representative Burtis of Garden City arrived in Topeka Friday, bringing along a boom for Sutton for governor. "You can tell the Republicans of Kansas that Mike Sutton is a full-fledged candidate for governor," said Burtis, "and he expects to win. We short grass fellows think it is about time for that office to come our way, and the west will line up for Sutton to a man."—Journal.

The Postal Telegraph Company's office is now snugly established in its new quarters, in the opera house building. The room is furnished with natural finished pine, and the carpenter work was done by E. B. Goodrich. The store room is filled with battery cells which number more than a thousand. The office here furnishes the power for the line from Kansas City to Denver. Mr. Hinkel, the manager, will reside in rooms in the opera house building.

We hoped that in this issue we would be able to tell our readers something definite about the milk station. Up to this time the milk from not quite 150 cows has been assured. A letter from Mr. Parker, under date of March 24th, says: 200 cows is a small number to begin with. He further says: "I am making arrangements to transport cream from as far west as Lakin. I am in hopes to report something favorable inside of two weeks." It will be necessary for us to do some energetic work in the next ten days if we secure the station. To miss this opportunity will, in our opinion, prove a veritable calamity to many of our people. If this opportunity is missed, there is no telling when another will present itself.—Garden City Imprint.

Will Return April 15th.

Dr. Cashman & Saper, will return to Dodge City, on April 15th, and will remain a short time, and all persons desiring their services can be treated for all diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat.

Some Notes of the Weather.

The threatened storm of Tuesday afternoon gave some uneasiness to the people of the city, and the schools were dismissed before the time for recess. But only a slight wind for a short time prevailed, and it was followed by a light rain. The United States Weather Bureau had predicted severe storms in localities. Mr. Todd, the observer at this station, said the storm would not be severe at this point.

The barometer was 27.00 inches at the beginning of the storm indications Tuesday afternoon. At 5 p. m. it was 26.84 inches and at 10 a. m. yesterday morning it was 26.90 inches, a long prevailing low. The temperature was 67 degrees Tuesday afternoon, but in 30 minutes it dropped to 39 degrees. It was 32 degrees, or freezing point, for a few minutes, early yesterday morning.

The snow plows were at work yesterday between Palmer Lake and Monument in Colorado.

Heavy rain fell from Kinsley eastward on Monday.

Eight inches of snow at Cheyenne, Wyo., on Monday.

The Weather Bureau reports heavy snow fall in north and northwest sections Tuesday and yesterday.

Heavy snow and wind in Colorado and reaching as far east as Lakin, on Tuesday.

At Cheyenne, Wyo., Tuesday, there was 15 inches of snow.

Rev. D. E. Hoover, the newly appointed preacher for the M. E. Church, delivered his first sermon Sunday morning. Mr. Hoover is not an entire stranger here, having lectured or preached on several occasions. In his opening sermon Mr. Hoover said he did not know whether the people were glad to see him or not, but at any rate he was glad to see them. He preached about half an hour, taking his text from the 8th verse of the 34 chapter of the Philippians. Mr. Hoover said there was nothing better for an opening sermon, at the beginning of the conference year, except to preach the old, old gospel with which our hearts have been filled so often. The fact that we are not satisfied with our surroundings, but want something higher, indicates the desires of our hearts. We are not satisfied with this world and all that it offers, but we are seeking something Divine. The world cannot satisfy our wants. Human gain and success do not appease all the wants of mankind. A higher life is the desire of humanity. Absolute certainty was a human requirement. The saving power of Christ is a certainty. This was the trend of the discourse, which was delivered earnestly and forcefully, and was listened to with profound attention by a large congregation.

CASTORIA

See the signature of Dr. H. H. Plummer.

The Racket and Novelty Store is located on Chestnut street, in the Gluck building.

I am now ready to deliver ice; will contract at a stipulated price per 100 lbs. for the season. E. E. SMITH.

Wolf's Studio,
Will be open from April 15th to April 24th.

FOR SALE—A good three room house, without lot, cheap for cash. Apply to PETER MOORE.

Best business lot in this city, adjoining Fifth Avenue Hotel, for sale cheap. Apply to P. H. SUGHRUE.

Market Every Saturday.

The ladies of the Methodist Church will have a market every Saturday afternoon.

FOR SALE—One top buggy, nearly new. Also a small quantity of household goods; and a 10x12 10 oz tent (new) Apply at City Drug Store.

Your Sunday Dinner.

The ladies of the M. E. Church will have a market every Saturday afternoon, having for sale bread, pies, cakes and an assortment of good things to eat.

MARRIED.—At the Park Hotel, on Sunday, by Rev. W. M. Howell, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Adam Lierle, of Ford county, to Miss Lizzie Henning, of Columbus, Ill.

Every Saturday Afternoon.

Your Sunday dinner without work. The ladies of the M. E. Church will have a market every Saturday afternoon, where you can buy an assortment of good things to eat.

On account of the election no regular meeting of Lewis Post G. A. R. will be held Tuesday night, but a special meeting will be held on the night of April 7th at 8 o'clock.

J. L. FINLEY, Com.

J. A. ARMENT, Adj.

The registration of the city numbers

735, divided as follows:
First Ward..... 53 men; 42 women.
Second Ward..... 203 men; 103 women.
Third Ward..... 178 men; 113 women.
Fourth Ward..... 24 men; 19 women.
Totals..... 458 men; 277 women.

MARRIED.—In this city, at the Park Hotel, on March 27th, by Rev. W. M. Howell of this city, Mr. U. L. Shelley and Mrs. Mary A. Wetzel, both of Spearville. The GLOBE-REPUBLICAN wishes them an abundance of joy and prosperity. Mr. Shelley is the proprietor of the Summit House at Spearville, and the bride has been his housekeeper for the past five years.

Advertised Letter List.

The following letters remain unclaimed for week ending April 2, 1897, and unless called for within thirty days, will be sent to dead letter office. Persons calling for these letters will please say, "Advertised," and give date of this notice: One cent will be charged for advertised letter delivered.

Helmick, Geo
Lloyd, Thomas
Sing, Lee
D. SWINEHART, P. M.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklin & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver trouble they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by W. F. Pine, Drug-gist.

THE DANGER

to which the Expectant Mother is exposed and the foreboding and dread with which she looks forward to the hour of woman's severest trial is appreciated by but few. All effort should be made to smooth these rugged places in life's pathway for her, ere she presses to her bosom her babe.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

allays Nervousness, and so assists Nature that the change goes forward in an easy manner, without such violent protest in the way of Nausea, Headache, Etc. Gloomy forebodings yield to cheerful and hopeful anticipations—she passes through the ordeal quickly and without pain—is left strong and vigorous and enabled to joyously perform the high and holy duties now devolved upon her. Safety to life of both is assured by the use of "Mother's Friend," and the time of recovery shortened.

"I know one lady, the mother of three children, who suffered greatly in the birth of each, who obtained a bottle of 'Mother's Friend' of me before her fourth confinement, and was relieved quickly and easily. All agree that her labor was shorter and less painful."

JOHN G. FOLEWELL, MASON, Ga.

\$1.00 FREE BOTTLE at all Drug Stores, or sent by mail on receipt of price. Contains valuable information of interest to all women, will be sent FREE any address upon application, by THE BRADFORD REGULATOR CO., ATLANTA, Ga.

900 DROPS

CASTORIA

Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomach and Bowels of INFANTS & CHILDREN.

Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.

Recipe of Old Dr. J. C. WATSON.

Perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and Loss of Sleep.

The Simple Signature of
Dr. J. C. Watson
NEW YORK.

At 6 months old
35 DROPS—35 CENTS.

EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

SEE THAT THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE —OF— Chas. H. Plummer IS ON THE WRAPPER OF EVERY BOTTLE OF CASTORIA

Castoria is put up in one-size bottles only. It is not sold in bulk. Don't allow anyone to sell you anything else on the plea or promise that it is "just as good" and "will answer every purpose." See that you get C-A-S-T-O-R-I-A. The bottle signature of Chas. H. Plummer is on every wrapper.

Ten acres of land north of the round house for sale cheap. Apply to P. H. SUGHRUE.

Twenty acres of land, north of the round house, for sale cheap. Apply to P. H. SUGHRUE.

Forty acres of land, north of the round house, for sale cheap. Apply to P. H. SUGHRUE.

Gamblers Arrested

On complaint of J. Lantz, through County Attorney Herzer, warrants were sworn out before Esquire Swan charging John McEvella, W. C. Crutcheley and Wm. Niles with keeping gambling dens, in violation of law. The warrants were served Saturday night and the cases will be heard next Saturday. The Kansas statutes provide severe penalties for gambling, an imprisonment of from one to five years in the penitentiary being the penalty.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF
THE MIDLAND BANK
at Dodge City, State of Kansas, at the close of business on the 9th day of March 1897:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts on personal and collateral security.....	\$1250 21
Overdrafts.....	159 50
Improved farms.....	13690 00
Real estate.....	6017 67
Banking house building.....	3000 00
Furniture and fixtures.....	500 00
Expense account.....	875 74
Collection account.....	383 83
Cash and sight exchg.....	756 36
Other resources.....	2818 27
Total.....	\$30570 74

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$10000 00
Surplus fund.....	5000 00
Undivided profits.....	652 67
Interest.....	20 59
Exchange.....	165 17
Individual deposits.....	1652 79
Bills payable (time loan on real est.).....	12992 83
Overdrafts.....	146 09
Total.....	\$30570 74

STATE OF KANSAS, ss.
COUNTY OF FORD: I, J. W. GILBERT, cashier of said bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that said bank has no liabilities of any character whatsoever not set forth in said statement.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of March, 1897.
J. W. GILBERT, Cashier.
(Commission expires on the 13th day of February, 1900.)
Corrected—
Attest G. G. GILBERT, Notary Public.
G. L. GILBERT, Directors.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE
WESTERN BANKING COMPANY,
—(A Private Bank):—

at Bucklin, State of Kansas, at the close of business on the 9th day of March, 1897:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts on personal and collateral security.....	\$ 4712 11
Loans on real estate.....	243 00
Individual deposits.....	95 83
Overdrafts.....	55 82
Expense account.....	171 56
Other bonds and stocks at their present cash market value.....	7319 46
Cash and sight exchange.....	6285 57
Total.....	\$19827 04

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 5000 00
Surplus fund on hand.....	1000 00
Interest.....	215 94
Exchange.....	95 83
Individual deposits.....	954 41
Bills rediscounted.....	2231 47
Bills payable.....	2836 75
Total.....	\$19827 04

STATE OF KANSAS, ss.
COUNTY OF FORD: I, S. D. AULL, owner of said bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that said bank has no liabilities of any character whatsoever not set forth in said statement.

S. D. AULL, Owner.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 25th day of March, 1897.
E. MORRISON, Notary Public.
Commission expires on 20th day of June, 1900.

Unofficial but reliable reports from all sections of Kansas indicate that the wheat crop is in excellent condition. Secretary Coburn of the State Board of Agriculture, has received no official reports of the crop from his correspondents. It will be several weeks yet before he issues the first crop bulletin of the season. The acreage is obtained from the 2,500 township assessors, and they are engaged now gathering this information. However, unofficially it is given out that the acreage is somewhat smaller than it was last year, but that the condition of the growing wheat could not be better.

There is the law which provides for the election of city marshals in cities of the second and third class. Some people who sneeringly ask what has this legislature done, should make a note of the almost priceless boon given the cities of the third class in giving them the chance to elect city canine catchers. However, it is feared that even this beneficent measure, the result of the arduous labor of the member from Geary, will be ineffective, because the title of the bill provides for the election of a city attorney, while the body of the bill says nothing about that functionary.—Mail and Breeze.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

To WHOM THIS MAY CONCERN: The firm known as The Ford Milling Co., of Ford, Kans., consisting of L. K. Van Horne, W. C. Van Horne and M. Van Horne is this day dissolved by mutual consent, W. C. Van Horne and M. Van Horne retiring and L. K. Van Horne to continue the business and assume all debts and collect all bills due the said Ford Milling Co.
Dated at Ford, Kans. this first day of March 1897.

L. K. VAN HORNE,
W. C. VAN HORNE,
M. VAN HORNE.

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PUBLICATION SUMMONS.

In the District Court of Ford County, Kansas.
Wm. H. Gordon, Plaintiff.

vs.
Laura A. Gordon, Defendant.
The State of Kansas to Laura A. Gordon greeting: You are hereby notified that you have been sued by Wm. H. Gordon in the District Court of Kansas, in and for the County of Ford, and that unless you answer or otherwise plead to the petition filed in said court by said Wm. H. Gordon, on or before the 28th day of April, 1897, said petition will be taken as true and judgment rendered against you accordingly, for a decree of divorce. Annulment of the marriage contract now existing between you and said Wm. H. Gordon, and a further order will be made granting the custody of the minor child Ethel Gordon to said Wm. H. Gordon, which I have affixed hereto at my office in said county, this 14th day of March, 1897.

(SEAL.)
E. E. FURCH,
Clerk of District Court.
Atty. for Plaintiff.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Clerk at Dodge City, Ford County, Kansas, up to 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, April 10, 1897, for the purpose of replanking the bridges at Dodge City and Ford City, Kansas, over the Arkansas river, in the following manner, to-wit:
First—The bridge at Dodge City: The contractor to remove the upper layer of plank from the bridge and replank with white oak plank, 2 inches x 8 inches x 16 feet, to be laid crossways, and to be nailed with eight 30-penny nails in each and every plank.
Second—The bridge at Ford City: The contractor to plank over the plank now on the bridge with white oak plank, 2 inches x 8 inches x 12 feet, laid at an angle to be determined by the County Commissioners when work is commenced, and to be nailed with six 30-penny nails in each and every plank, the nails to be clinched on the under side.
Also, twelve stringers 2 inches x 12 inches x 20 feet, of yellow pine, to be placed where the Commissioners may direct, and the center of each span shall be bridged with 2 x 12 plank cut in solid between the stringers and well nailed.
Also, contractor is to furnish and put in four tiers of furring 1 x 6 running the entire length of the bridge, to be placed where the planks are worn by the wheels or roadway, and brought to a true surface with the ends and center of old plank before covering with new plank.
The plank for the above bridges is to be full stock, not less than two inches thick, free from rot, bark and waste.
Bids will be received separately or together for each bridge.
Bids will be received for material and labor separately or together for each bridge.
Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
Dated, March 10th, 1897.
W. T. COOLIDGE, Chairman,
Board County Commissioners,
Ford County, Kansas.